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DIXON DAILY TELEGRAPH—THIRTY THIRD YEAR

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DIXON TO RALLY BEHIND UNCLE SAM WEDNESDAY

ENTIRE CITIZENSHIP OF THE TOWNSHIP EXPECTED TO MARCH.

FARMER SECTION ARRANGED FOR

Committee Named to Interest Them Assembling Places Are Assigned.

The great rally of every man, woman and child in Dixon behind the government in its prosecution of the war to make democracy safe to the world Wednesday evening will be the greatest meeting of its kind in the history of Dixon, following plans which have been completed by the committees in charge. Every citizen of Dixon, who is a real American and who is able to march, should be in the big parade at 7 o'clock, should attend one of the meetings to be held at the opera house and other nearby halls, and should subscribe for a Liberty Bond and see that every friend and acquaintance buys one. No invitations will be sent out for the parade—it is an all-American affair and is wide open to everyone.

Nearby farmers are also asked to join in the march. A committee headed by A. H. Bosworth, who will be assisted by J. L. Hartwell, Joseph Prindaville and Luther Burkett, has been appointed to interest the farmers and to secure their presence as a farmers' division in the parade. The recent arrangement of the farmers as a class for failure to properly support the government will doubtless result in many from this vicinity taking this opportunity to refute the charges which have been made against them.

All Should Carry Banners.

Every institution represented in the parade is expected to have a banner showing its identity, and everyone who is not certain as to the division in which he should march is asked to call any one of the committees, who will give the necessary information.

Assembling Places.

Assembling places for the various divisions are being assigned, two being named this morning:

Clerks, including those in stores, offices, bookkeepers and stenographers, will meet on Ottawa avenue, between First and Second streets.

Business men in every line of mercantile endeavor will meet on Ottawa avenue, between Second and Third streets.

AGED MAN TOOK LONG WALK TODAY

Jeremiah Preston, aged 95 years, who lives south of the city limits on Peoria avenue, astonished all of his friends by walking down town and back again this morning. He received the hearty congratulations of all who know him on his most successful "march."

DAN WOLFE NOW A SUB CHASER

Dan Wolfe notifies friends that he has passed his examination for second class seaman and has been selected as one of the thirty-five men to go from Chicago to the Atlantic coast to man submarine chasers.

Before leaving, the Dixon boy won the 145-pound championship and belt of the wrestlers at the Grant Park naval school.

SISTER ILL IN CHICAGO

Mrs. C. D. Anderson was called to Chicago by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Frank Lyiston, wife of Dr. Lyiston.

FRIDENSHIP LODGE SPECIAL

A special meeting of Friendship Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., for work in the Masters degree, will be held at 7 o'clock this evening.

Noted Farm Paper Editor Thinks Farmers Will Not Fail in Duty

(By W. D. Hoard, Editor Hoard's Dairyman.)

Our liberty has been attacked on sea and on land; our freedom and institutions have been threatened, and our nation placed in jeopardy. Our soldiers are called to arms and are marching to the front; our good women are devoting themselves to Red Cross work, and civilians everywhere are aiding the government in its multiplicity of duties. War means supreme sacrifice to every able bodied citizen, including men, women and children. It means unselfish and unremitting service.

The tremendous preparation which the government is making to bring this awful war to a successful close means the expenditure of billions of dollars. This money must come from our citizens and from every class, including the laborer, shopkeeper, manufacturer, banker, financier and farmer. It borders upon treason for anyone who can spare a dollar to withhold it from his country's call.

There are millions of dollars deposited in the banks by the farmers of this country which are earning them little or nothing. The Liberty Loan bonds offered by our government bear 4 per cent interest. If

CUT TO PIECES UNDER N. W. TRAIN

Arthur Bigwood, a Clinton, Iowa, youth, was ground to pieces under the wheels of a westbound Northwestern freight train near the depot in Sterling at 5:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon, when while stealing a ride from Sterling to his home, he fell from his position on the bumpers between two cars. His body was cut to pieces.

MANY MEETINGS TO CLOSE BOND DRIVE

SEVEN GATHERINGS WILL BE HELD TONIGHT AND TUESDAY EVE.

DIXON SPEAKERS WILL GIVE TALKS

A large number of meetings throughout the county have been arranged to close the Liberty Bond campaign this week, tonight and tomorrow evening's being especially busy. Public meetings will be held in the Palmyra and Harmon town halls this evening, with E. E. Wigert, Rev. E. C. Lumsden and J. E. Erwin speaking at Palmyra and John Armstrong, Harry Edwards and Harry Warner at Harmon.

Five Meetings Tomorrow.

Five meetings will be held tomorrow evening, as follows:

Sublette—Speakers, Harry Edwards, John B. Crabtree and Harry Warner.

Lee—Speakers, O. S. Stern, John H. Byers and others.

East Grove—Murphy's Social—Speakers, J. P. Devine, M. J. Ganon.

Walton—Speakers, H. S. Dixon, Edward Vaile, G. W. Gehant, Albert Borst.

Husking Bee, Keigwin's, Hamilton Township—Speakers, L. W. Miller, E. H. Brewster.

Speake at Theaters.

W. B. Brinton spoke briefly for the Liberty Bonds at the Family Theater and Albert Borst, superintendent of the milk factory, gave a short appeal at the Princess Saturday evening.

Eldena Thursday Eve.

South Dixon people will hear the Liberty Loan thoroughly discussed by State's Attorney Edwards, Attorney Harry Warner and John H. Byers at Gleeson's hall in Eldena Thursday evening.

DIXON SOLDIERS HOME.

Corporals Robert Warner, John Rosbrook, Ferguson and Sergeant Dutcher of Company M, 342nd Infantry, Camp Grant, drove to Dixon Sunday in Mr. Warner's car and visited their relatives.

Abe Martin—



Th' very newest thing in four-blusters is th' feller that's goin' t' do without a car till th' war's won. Th' trouble with a educated feller is that he alius wants t' begin at th' top.

ADRESSED IMPLEMENT MEN

W. B. Brinton has returned from Chicago where he attended a meeting at the National Implement Association. On Wednesday evening Mr. Brinton gave a talk at a dinner in the Auditorium Annex on the agricultural conditions of the country as related to implement manufacturers and dealers.

VISIT PARENTS.

Miss Mary Rosbrook, who is in training to become a nurse at the Sterling hospital, was home Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook, of the Bend, and her brother, Corporal John Rosbrook, who was also home for a visit. Their father, Tryon Rosbrook, is incapacitated from an injury to his leg.

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A marriage license was issued Saturday afternoon to Horace Boone of Amboy and Miss Thelma Bartle of Dodgeville, Iowa.

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Frank Love went to Danville yesterday to accept a position in a big business.

RETURN TO SOUTH DAKOTA.

William J. Lawrence D. and Earl D. Hardin, who have been with their families, visiting their parents here, left Friday for their homes in Huron, S. D. They are making the trip by auto.

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D. U. H. S. WINS IN FOOT-BALL WITH CLINTON

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ASK BOYS TO WORK TO INCREASE FOOD SUPPLY OF NATION

GOVERNMENT WILL EXHIBIT U. S. BOYS' WORKING RESERVE.

WILL ASK FOR VOLUNTEERS SOON

FEDERAL STATE DIRECTOR HAS BEEN APPOINTED — WILL APPOINT COUNTY DIRECTORS.

Local Athletes Stages Interesting and Consistent Game.

The Dixon Union High School football team won a signal victory Saturday afternoon at the County Club grounds when it defeated Clinton High School. Score, 26 to 9. The local gridiron stars were in splendid form and played a fast, steady and consistent game. The local boys won by merit. There were few spectacular plays, nor did Dixon profit greatly by loose playing on the part of their opponents. Dixon beat Clinton for the first time in eight years, and did it by playing real football. Saturday's game was pronounced the best exhibition seen on a local field by either home or visiting team for some time past.

The Lineup.

Dixon — Center, Hutchinson; guards, Gardner, Altman; tackle, Flemming, Whitcombe; end, Hess.

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MANY MINERS GO BACK TO WORK IN ILLINOIS TODAY

FRANKLIN COUNTY MINERS EXPECTED TO BE ON JOB TOMORROW.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 22.—Coal miners went back to work today with the exception of those in Franklin county, after a strike last week in an attempt to force an increase in wages.

In Franklin county, where there are nineteen mines, the men are holding meetings today and probably, it was reported, will be on the job tomorrow morning.

Last week's strike started when increases agreed on between miners and operators, but said by the operators to be dependent upon permission of the Fuel Administration to raise coal prices, did not become effective beginning with the second October payday.

Doctor Garfield, the coal administrator, now has data before him to serve as a basis for deciding whether an increase in prices is advisable.

GOODWIN TAKEN TO PEN SUNDAY

Matt Goodwin, the negro who Friday received his sentence to serve from one to fourteen years in the penitentiary for assault upon Chief VanBibber with intent to kill, was taken to the Joliet institution Sunday by Sheriff Phillips, Deputy S. O. Argraves and State's Attorney Harry Edwards.

NEW DANCE CLUB WILL GIVE PARTY

The Beaver Hunting and Fishing Club has issued invitations to its first grand dancing party at Rosbrook's hall Thursday evening, which it is expected will be one of the big dances of the season. The Marquette Eight will furnish the music for the dancers and will play a short concert before the program.

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ALL HANDS LOST ON JAP STEAMER

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Tokio, Japan, Oct. 22.—The Japanese steamer Hitachi Maru, 6556 tons, is missing and is believed to have struck a mine, with the loss of all on board.

FINE TO RED CROSS.

Dr. L. R. Evans today paid Henry Kenneth, chairman of the Elks' Album committee, 30 cents fine assessed for his delay in sending a photograph to the committee, and the money was at once turned over to the Lee County Red Cross.

NAME OMITTED.

The name of Henry Kenneth was unintentionally omitted from the list of the "shock" squadron, which will make the final roundup in the Liberty Loan campaign here.

BUY A THROWN YOUR HAT IN THE RING LIBERTY BOND

(By W. B. Brinton.)

We are at war with a foreign foe. Our Government has conscripted several million of the young men of this nation and will send them to the front. It takes money to equip, clothe and feed them.

The Government asks you and me to loan them the money. They promise to pay us four per cent. The bond they give us is not subject to taxation.

The Congress who has the power to conscript the young men of the country and send them to the front has the right to conscript the money to clothe, feed and arm them. Rather than do this, the Government offers to borrow the money from the people and pay them interest every six months.

A large amount has been assigned to Dixon Township. We must

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST WHY BUY LIBERTY BONDS?

(By George C. Loveland.)

I am frequently asked by my clients and others about the new as well as the country in which you buy Liberty bond now being offered for make your home. You buy like insurance as a protection; it is not of

as much importance to buy protection from the merciless enemy who would destroy our country?

In buying Liberty bonds you make a safe investment which will pay you \$4.00 per year on every \$100.00 subscribed.

You give nothing, you make no donation; it all comes back to you with interest, and you have the satisfaction of knowing that you have done your part.

The present situation is a most serious one, and requires cash and every one to do their utmost. Should we fail to raise the desired amount, there will be great rejoicing in the enemy's camp; our failure will give them renewed energy, and faith in crushing us should we succeed, and then some, it will then show that we are a united country, and will support our president to the limit. When we see our friends and relatives starting for the front, offering their lives, we cannot but deeply feel our obligation.

Furthermore, our country is engaged in a war such as the world has never seen and beside which our former wars shrink to almost child's play. Whether or not we were justified in entering this war, or who is responsible for doing so, is not the question now. We are in it and must see it through to a successful termination.

What would be thought of a man who, before he would make the least effort to save himself and family from drowning, would insist on first having the question of who

is to blame?

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The closing week of the campaign is being hampered by apathy on the part of certain rural communities in the middle west and south.

This means that subscriptions must come in at the rate of

AMERICAN WOMEN WILL BUY BONDS

By MARTHA KIMBALL WOOD,
Member Women's Liberty Loan
Committee.

Never before in history, save in the mind of Plato in his ideal republic, has the economic or financial aid of women been sought by the government of a nation. Since Susan B. Anthony sounded the reveille of equal suffrage, women the world over have been clamoring for their rights. And now that the government asks our aid, in no way will women gain suffrage more surely than through responding to every call the government makes upon them.

Washington has asked us to conserve foodstuffs and other necessities of life; to support the Red Cross; to register women for war service; to protect the interest of women and children in industry; to relieve the suffering of our allies in this great entente; yet at the same time to curtail in no way our aid to home charities. These requests prove that while in some states suffrage is withheld, the government feels that we are entirely capable of doing any work asked of us; and now the supreme test, from a man's standpoint, is placed in our hands to be of financial aid to the government of the United States.

These thoughts have been in the mind of every thinking woman and were reasons why every woman should support the Liberty Loan. However, I do not believe them to be the supreme reasons why they will support the loan.

Every real woman is potentially a mother. In our new National Army there are 687,000 "first call" men; and this means nearly a million mothers anxious that the war should cease before their sons are called upon to face the sacrifice required of the boys of other nations. And there are countless other mothers, without sons to offer, but knowing that unless our troops are successful and the war speedily closed, their daughters may have to bear the shame under which the girls of invaded Europe are crushed. Will these mothers feel that they can refuse to support this second Liberty Loan?

No real woman with mother instinct, who has read of the flower of European youth—clean and sweet and strong—enduring the filth of the trenches; facing malignant ruthlessness of the enemy's onslaughts; returning maimed, blinded, and eaten with disease—no woman picturing even faintly the sickening horror which brutal lust has wrought upon the girls of France, Belgium and Serbia—will hesitate for one moment in doing anything to cut short the duration of this war. For the protection of their sons and daughters, American women will buy Liberty bonds.

MUST OVERWHELM THE KAISER

By RUTH LAW,
Famous Avatrix.

The government has asked us for another great Liberty Loan. Thousands of American men and women are wondering what they can do to help bring peace to the distracted world. The word war is beginning to bring horror to our hearts, as it has brought horror to the hearts of men and women of Europe ever since 1914. Our boys are now in that dreadful cauldron of death and suffering, the battlefield of France. Many a mother has sent her only son away to the land she has never seen to fight for the cause of Liberty and Freedom. Other mothers have given several sons for this noble cause.

This is the moment of opportunity. Grasp it before it is too late. Subscribe to the new Liberty Loan, the loan that is to help bring back our sons, brothers and fathers from a war that was forced upon us by the German kaiser. We must show the enemy of democracy and liberty that every last American is standing back of Uncle Sam with every penny that we possess. Let us show the Germans that the great masses of the American people are individually working for peace by subscribing to the new Liberty Loan.

Particularly, men and women of small means, this is your opportunity to do your bit for Uncle Sam. We will overwhelm the kaiser's forces with money, men and airplanes and drive them forever from the fields of battle.

BUY YOUR BOND FOR LIBERTY TODAY.

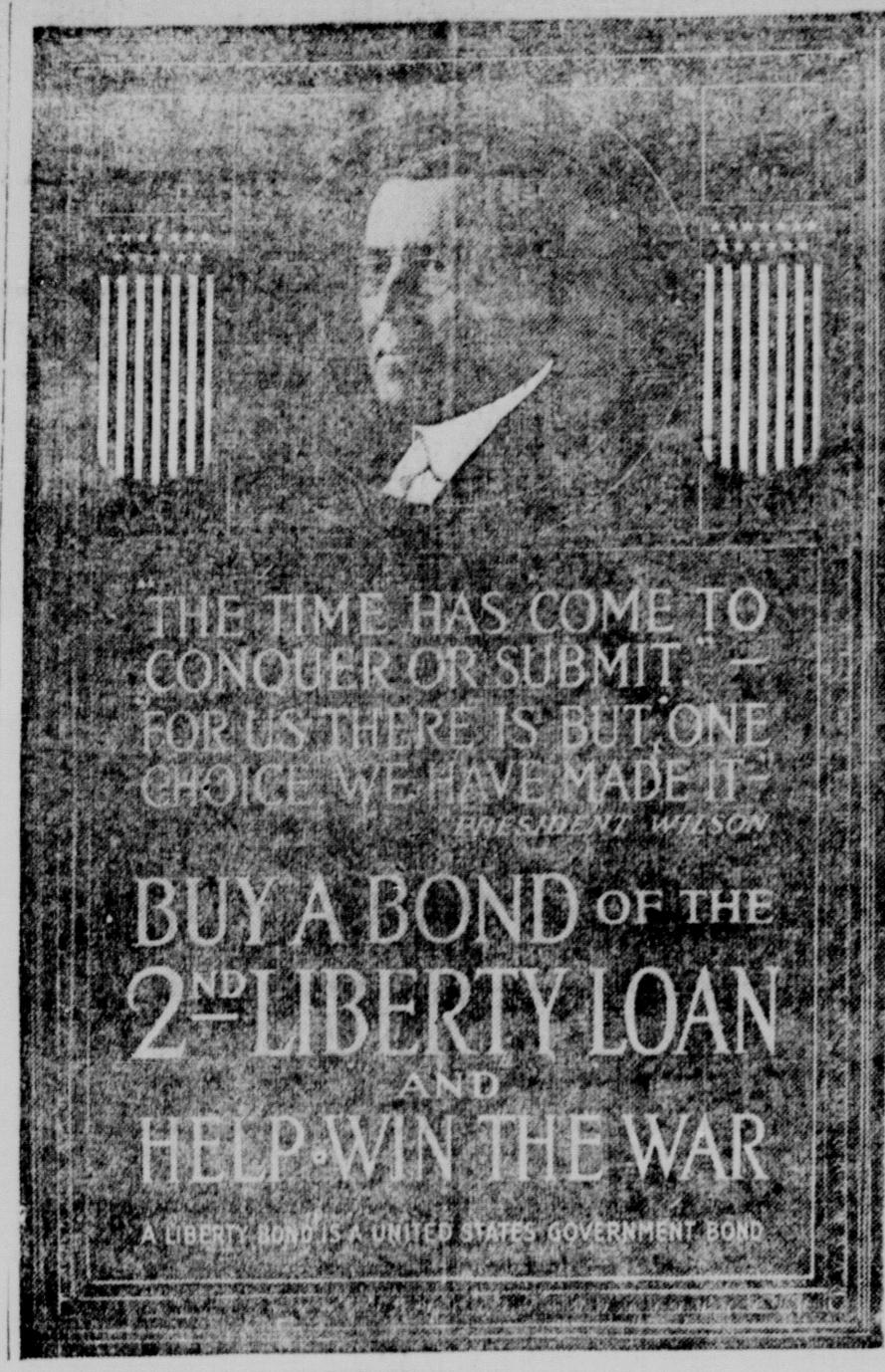
BRYAN BOOSTS LIBERTY SALE.

Every American's paramount duty is to stand behind the president and congress and support "anything and everything our government does in this war," William Jennings Bryan told members of the New York Advertising club.

"The furnishing of money," said Mr. Bryan, "is one of the most important ways of supporting the government. Before we entered the war it was a matter of opinion and discussion, but it is no longer a question of opinion. It is time for action now."

He declared he would make no complaint against high taxes as long as there are men giving their lives for the country.

I shall not put a cent or even the man nor property above the public good.



are willing to be charitable and believe they neglected this duty through procrastination, or lack of funds, or for some other reason more or less unavoidable.

At any rate, the fact remains that they didn't subscribe to the first Liberty Loan, and since then, no doubt, their conscience hasn't been resting well of nights. Now they have an opportunity to ease that troubled conscience. There's a second Liberty Loan on now, offering a better investment than even the first one offered, and the advice of this publication to farmers everywhere is this:

If you failed to invest in the first loan, go straight to your banker, without a moment's delay, and invest in loan number two. Plunge it up to your eyebrows, for you've got to atone, remember, for what you failed to do last May and June.

If you did invest in the first loan, then hold on to your interim certificates and later exchange them for the second issue bonds, which will pay a higher rate of interest. No charge will be made for this exchange, and Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo will presently name the date upon which the exchange may be made.

But don't hesitate to buy a bond of this second issue simply because you bought one or more of the first. You cannot own too many of these bonds. They're the safest investment on earth, and one of the most profitable. So long as the United States government endures, they cannot depreciate in value.

Then, too, of course, there is a higher reason why every farmer should have a Liberty bond in his home. Even though they paid no interest whatever, they should be in every farmhouse in America. The ownership of a Liberty bond is sufficient proof that the farmer has emerged triumphantly from an acid test of his patriotism. Liberty bond owners need never protest that they are true-blue Americans. Their bonds prove they are.

EVERY WOMAN SHOULD BUY A BOND

By EDWARD BOK,
Editor, Ladies' Home Journal.

Every woman who can should buy one of the new Bonds because

First: It is the best investment on the face of the earth today. There could be no better.

Second: As every cent of the money raised by these Bonds is spent in this country, a woman helps to keep business going, and that means her income.

Third: The buying of a Bond makes every woman do her part in winning the war for war cannot be conducted without money. The Government must have money, and the amount she loans to it helps to keep our boys in France fed and clothed. A woman when she buys one of these Bonds is a real patriot of her country, as well as a careful investor of her money.

Fourth: Every cent of the money must sell, for if they do not the necessary money must be paid by such heavy taxation as to idle every industry in the land, and the war would not be able to provide itself with the bare necessities of life.

Everything would go into taxation. Hence, come these Bonds as true savers of the poor.

DO WITHOUT—AND DO

By WILBUR D. NESBIT.

A great many millions of people in other lands have been thinking about the past three years.

They have thought that we were a spineless nation, that we could be lapped in the face and kicked for good measure.

They have thought that we were so afraid of trouble that we would stand for anything rather than tackle it if it came our way.

Today they are changing their minds.

DIXON WON EASY VICTORY OVER CLINTON SATURDAY: SHOWED VISITORS THE ROUTE

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Shaw; quarterback, Schuler; fullback, Ryneerson; halfback, Schrock; Schoefield.

Clinton—Center, Rogers; guard, Peterson; McCall; tackle, Wolfe; Jewett; end, Christians; Wills; quarterback, Williams; fullback, Saxon; halfback, Van Epps; Smiley.

Ives relieved Altman at left guard for a quarter and Santee spelled Gardner at left guard for one period.

The officials were: Referee, Clark of Rock Island; umpire, Knight of Clinton; head linesman, Merritt Lord of Dixon; timekeeper, Prof. H. H. Hagen. Twelve-minute quarters were played. Clinton asked for ten-minute quarters and Captain Whitecombe of the Dixon eleven wanted fifteen-minute periods, evidently confident even before the game that his men could run up a good score on the lads from the river town if given plenty of time. The officials split the difference on the time

spent; but they are enough to answer the question which heads this editorial. And the answer to that question is:

"We get the money, of course."

LIBERTY BONDS AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

The sale of the second Liberty loan bond issue at this time has been heralded in many quarters as being particularly timely. This applies especially to people who are anxious to make Christmas gifts of unusual value, because they will be able, by making small payments from time to time, to acquire Liberty bonds before the arrival of the holiday season.

Brokers in New York are calling the attention of their clients to this opportunity. Many of their customers annually buy stocks or bonds for relatives, and this year all will be urged to buy Liberty bonds of the later issue.

By subscribing now they will be aiding the government to make a quick and splendid success of the loan. Most banks are willing to receive small deposits weekly in order to enable buyers of the bonds to pay for them in full by Christmas.

NEW LIBERTY LOAN 4 PER CENT BONDS ATTRACTIVE TO LARGE INVESTORS.

The erroneous impression has been created that the new Liberty loan 4 per cent bonds are not attractive to persons with any considerable income. It should be understood that there are two taxes, the regular normal income tax, such as was paid last year, and the additional tax, which is to be levied during the period of the war.

It means sacrifices. It means each of us has got to do the biggest things he can do for his country.

If a million, or two million, men can stand behind us and the hell that was made of Belgium and northern France, then we can stand back of those men and pay for the guns and ammunition and clothing and food they have to have.

Suppose you did buy one Liberty bond. Suppose you bought a thousand dollars' worth, or a hundred thousand dollars' worth.

Buy another. Double your investment.

Can't afford it?

We have to afford it—this time, and the next, and the next, and every time until the war is won.

We'll have to do without something, if that is the only way we can do something for our country.

If you have to do without a dress, or an overcoat, to buy a Liberty bond, do without.

You'd rather have peace, and a bond paying you 4 per cent, than a dress or an overcoat, and war costing you your home, and your sons, and your brothers, wouldn't you?

If we can't put this second Liberty loan over except by doing without something then let's do without.

For, if we can't make a loan to Liberty, then one of these days we will see Liberty in pawn.

WHO GETS THE MONEY?

When an Englishman, or a Frenchman, or a subject of any of the other allied countries, buys a government bond, he knows that a large portion of his money will be spent outside his native land. When an American buys a government bond, he knows that every cent of his money will be spent right here at home.

It will be spent on the navy, the army, in cantonments, in shipyards—in a myriad ways and places—but none of it will be spent abroad.

Thus, when a man buys a \$100 Liberty bond of the second issue—or a \$1,000 bond, or a bond of any other denomination that may suit his pocketbook—he may possess the comfortable feeling that he is contributing directly to the prosperity of America.

Nearly \$80,000,000 is now being spent in navy yards, training stations, submarines and aviation bases, warehouses for supplies and munitions, shops, foundries, shipways, dry docks.

The shipyards of America are now taxed to the utmost in building de-

troyers and submarine chasers, and

contracts have been made for 32,000-ton battleships, five battle cruisers of

35,000 tons each, six scout cruisers

and many auxiliary craft.

The navy has patrolled the Ameri-

can coast since the day we declared war on Germany; and for this purpose we have requisitioned yachts, fishing vessels, motorboats and other minor

craft.

These are but a few of the ways in

which the Liberty bondholders' money

possession of the ball and, organizing the territory taken, proceeded to effect further advances without delay, taking "trench after trench," while the enemy strove vainly to stop the savage rushes on front and flank. Strategy as well as might was employed by the Dixon players and the first touchdown was effected during the first four minutes of play, when Schuler slipped the ball to Ryneerson, who went over for the first score on a trick play. The goal kick failed. The casualties of this first skirmish were only among the Clinton players and time out was called while first aid was applied to Wolfe, Clinton tackle, who had twisted his ankle. He went back into the game wearing a bandage.

A Fast Game.

Captain Whitecombe booted the pigskin neatly into the enemy's territory on the initial kickoff and his squad of bombers, shock troops, trench moppers and first line batters, veterans all, with their new armor, worn for the first time on the home field, and composed of "helmets," well padded purple jerseys, "Ohio U" breeches, red and white stockings, etc., went over the top at the blast of the referee's whistle and charged across "No Man's Land" into battle.

Clinton did not get far with the ball on the kickoff and failed to make their ten yards on the first four downs. Dixon thereby gained

usual degree.

Our country is fighting the battle for justice and democracy. It is fighting that our homes, our families and our institutions may be safe for generations to come.

Immense amounts of money are needed to finance the war. We cannot all do the khaki and march to the front but we can all do our bit to finance the great armies we are raising. Let us as farmers subscribe so liberally to the new Liberty Loan that we will set a high mark for the whole nation to follow. Let us pledge our loyalty anew by sharing our prosperity with Uncle Sam.

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SOCIETY

Monday.

W. R. C. Meeting, G. A. R. Hall, Peoria Ave., Reading Club, Mrs. Loveland.

I. O. O. F. Meeting, I. O. O. F. Hall.

Wednesday

Kingdom Bend Aid, Mrs. Jules Hill.

Women of Mooseheart Legion, Moose Hall.

Thursday

Laf-a-Lot Club, Miss Mabel Drew W. C. O. F., K. C. Hall.

Inter Nos Circle, Mrs. Lewis Drummond.

Friday

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Hall.

With the H. J. Hughes

Men of the Baraca Bible Class of the Grace Evangelical church and their wives enjoyed a delightful evening Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Hughes at their beautiful new home north of town. At least forty partook of their charming hospitality. While the men held their business meeting in one room, the ladies spent a delightful hour in chatting, games, and music, but all gathered for the delicious supper of chicken salad, pumpkin pie, bread and butter sandwiches, jelly, pickles, two kinds of cake and coffee which the hostess served. The class were pleased to have with them Mr. Ziegler, who had been ill for quite a long time but is much improved in health.

For Mrs. Rosenthal's Guests

Mrs. Max Eichler and Mrs. Isadore Eichler entertained with a luncheon and bridge at the Sheffield hotel on Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Max Rosenthal's guests, Mrs. Degan, of Denver, and Mrs. Livingston, of Waterloo, Iowa. Eleven ladies were entertained.

Dancing Class Opens

Frends of Miss Marcelle Kent are cordially invited to attend her opening night of her Dancing Class at the Armory, tonight, at 8 o'clock. The new dances for 1917-18 will be demonstrated by Professor Maher, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Kent.

At White Temple School

A basket social will be held at the White Temple schoolhouse on the Chicago Road on Friday evening, October 26th. Ladies are requested to bring baskets and Wilbur Cortright will have charge of the auctioneering. The pupils have prepared, under the directions of the teacher, Miss Mary Walter, an interesting Hallowe'en program.

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Hallowe'en Birthday Party

Frances Preston, daughter of Walter Preston, of N. Crawford avenue, celebrated her thirteenth birthday by entertaining thirteen guests at her home Friday evening at seven o'clock. The house was decorated in black and yellow, with pumpkins, witches, cats, and goblins as the motifs used, on a background of autumn leaves. Guests were in costume and masked. There were sailors, Red Cross nurses, Bo Peeps, Martha Washingtons, bandits and even Satan himself. At eight o'clock a dainty luncheon was served. The guests were the Misses Laura Shear, Ethel Fruin, Olive Read, Ruth Jacobson, Dorothy Lennon, and Masters Robert Read, Henry Bokhot, Vernon Still, Alexander Knief, Kenneth Mall, and Kenneth Dystart. The guests, in departing at ten, left many beautiful gifts and good wishes with their hostess.

Surprised on Birthday

About twenty friends of Mrs. Wm. Carl森 took the six o'clock intermission to her home in Palmyra Friday evening in order to celebrate with her, her birthday. The guests invited as they were, as the affair was arranged as a surprise, found a ready welcome and soon all were partaking of a most sumptuous scramble dinner. The evening passed very pleasantly, and the time seemed all too short to the merry group who waited until the very last call to return to Dixon. Mrs. Carl森 was remembered with a number of pretty gifts.

At Dr. Lehman Home

Mrs. William Newly, of Chicago, was a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Lehman for an over Sunday visit.

Over Sunday Guest

Carl Brown, of Indianapolis, was home for an over Sunday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown.

Returned from Visit

Mrs. Charles B. Yents and little son Charles Britton, Jr., have returned from a five weeks' visit in Chicago, Danville, La Fayette, Ind., and Henderson, Ky.

At Dr. Saxmann Home

Drs. R. B. & H. M. Saxmann are enjoying a visit from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Saxmann, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who are on their way to their winter home in Palm Beach, Florida.

Kingdom-Bend Aid

The members of the Kingdom-Bend-Aid Society will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Jules Hill and will sew for the hostess. The customary scramble luncheon will be served at noon.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Todd announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Gill, to Lt. Theodore Jason Miller, Jr.

With Mrs. Altman

Mrs. W. L. W. Miller, of Berkeley, California, after a visit in the East, has returned to Dixon to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. D. Altman, before going to her home in California.

Home from Sinsinawa

Miss Imogene Loftus, who is attending Sinsinawa College, Sinsinawa Mound, Wis., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Loftus.

Entertained

Miss Imo Shellhamer was entertained Sunday at the Perry Brightel home in Steward.

Thimble Party

Miss Ethel Sterling entertained with a thimble party this afternoon with a few of her girl friends. Those included in the invitations are the Misses Mary Morrison, Helen Bacharach, Helen McKenney, Josephine Altman, Aileen Barry, Erma Drew, Alice and Oiga Rice, Eleanor Coppins, Eunice Laing, Betty Wingert, Carmen Deament, and Mrs. Templeton, who is here from Battle Creek.

Congregational Missionary

The Missionary Society of the Congregational church will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Alteneder, of W. First St. The subject of the afternoon will be "Turkey Key".

Ideal Club Postpones

The Ideal Club meeting has been postponed until the following week, when it will be held with Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Visited in Polo

Mrs. Templeton, nee Elizabeth Owens, who is here from Battle Creek, Mich., for a visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. Templeton, arrived Thursday.

C. C. Circle

Members of the C. C. Circle were entertained at the home of Mrs. Walter Raffenberger on Friday afternoon. The thirty present spent the afternoon in making fancy articles for the fall bazaar. Delicous refreshments were served at the close of the pleasant afternoon by the hostess.

Now at Camp Lee

Arthur Bulita, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bulita, formerly of this city and now of Detroit, Mich., is now stationed at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.

in Canada

Donald Eaton, of this city, is now

with the Physicians and Surgeons Corps of the U. S. Army as a typist. He is stationed at Winnipeg, Canada

Guests from Sterling

Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Donnell and three sons and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reardon, of Sterling, were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mrs. Alice O'Donnell.

At Dr. Segner Home

Mrs. Helen Segner of Chicago is visiting at the home of her son, Dr. Segner.

Visited in Polo

Miss Agnes Bloomdahl and Mr. Edward Heuer are visiting in Polo with Miss Bloomdahl's sister, Mrs. Morton Dockery.

Week-end Guests

Katherine Sullivan and Helen Harms spent the week-end as guests at the home of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Wm. Carlson, in Palmyra.

With Mrs. McGrath

Mrs. Frank Wormell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers, of Rock Falls, motored to Dixon Saturday to be the guests of Mrs. Wormell's mother, Mrs. McGrath.

At C. M. Magnet Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller, of Washington, Ill., spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huguet, and after a brief visit with Mr. Miller's sister in Sterling, will leave for their winter home in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Night-cap Social

A Hallowe'en entertainment and "night-cap" social will be held Tuesday evening, Oct. 30th, at the Fairview School, 5 1/2 miles north of West Brooklyn. Everyone is invited. Miss Gladys Fairchild, the teacher, and her pupils have been working for some time to make the entertainment a pleasure to all who attend.

Week-end Visit

Miss Mary Louise Fuller visited over the week-end with Miss Katherine Roper, in Forreston.

Sunday from Camp Grant

Urban O'Malley, of Camp Grant, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Malley.

LaLa-Lot Club

The LaLa-Lot Club, of Palmyra, meets with Miss Mabel Drew on Thursday afternoon.

Inter Nos Circle

The Inter Nos Circle will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Lewis Drummond.

Miss Kent's Dancing School

Miss Marcelle Kent will open her dancing school for the season at the Armory hall this evening and extends a cordial invitation to all who are interested in dancing. Miss Kent will teach all the popular dances of the last season and the new ones for the large attendance at all classes.

G. A. R. Circle, Attention

The members of G. A. R. Circle are requested to be at G. A. R. hall at 7 o'clock sharp Wednesday evening in order to participate in the Liberty Bond parade.

Sunday In Dixon

W. B. Ferguson and Robert Warner of Camp Grant spent Sunday in Dixon, the latter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Warner and the former with friends.

In Richmond.

Miss Nonie Rosbrook is visiting Miss Ward in Richmond, Ill.

Entertained with Luncheon

Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Blackburn entertained with a one o'clock lunch on Sunday in honor of their son Maurice, who was here from Rockford.

With Dixon Relatives

Atty. and Mrs. Seger and family from Sterling and F. B. Downing of Fort Sheridan spent Sunday with relatives.

Fro mBrandenburg, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Reese and son Earl of Brandenburg, Ia., motored to Woosung, arriving Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Reese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Guynn. Today members are requested to be in at the funeral of John Reese, a brother of Foster Reese. Mr. Reese passed away last week, death being due to diabetes.

Hallowe'en Committee

The Hallowe'en entertainment committee of St. Mary's Guild will meet at K. C. hall Thursday at 8 p. m. All

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woolley re-

Farewell Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carroll, Mrs.

Pierce and her mother-in-law, Mrs.

Platman of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs.

J. R. Bales and family, Mrs. O'Brien

and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Self and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Her-

bert Rossiter surprised Mr. and

Walter Fritz of East Third street last

Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Fritz

are leaving in November for their

new home in Waukegan. A delicious

scramble supper was served and ev-

eryone enjoyed a pleasant evening to-

gether.

Many Affairs Honor Miss Todd

Friends of Miss Mary Todd, who

are given one short week to entertain

for her between the announcement of

her engagement and her marriage of

Lt. Jason Miller, are filling nearly

every day with some affair in her

honor.

Sunday evening Dr. and Mrs. Dr.

entertained at dinner Dr. and Mrs.

Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling

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SHOW HIM HE IS WRONG.

"Farmers will neither buy Liberty Bonds, pay taxes, sell their produce nor fight."

E. D. Hulbert, president of the Merchants Loan and Trust company, one of the most conservative bankers in the middle west, as well as one of the best informed, has made this charge against the farmers of the seventh federal reserve district in connection with the sale of Liberty Bonds. In other words, Mr. Hulbert charges the farmers with "profiteering," or refusing aid to the government in time of war to their own financial advantage.

Will the farmers of this district, comprising the choicest agricultural lands of the nation, permit this charge to go unchallenged? Will they not disprove it by opening their bank accounts to the government and buy these bonds?

Nearly one-half of the nation's income goes to the farmer, says Mr. Hulbert, and quotes the controller of the currency at Washington as his authority. How can the farmers of this country, who in times past have been the backbone financially and patriotically of the nation, read these statements and continue to hold aloof when the United States is engaged in a war with the greatest military power the world has ever known and is in need of money?

"They (the farmers) have profited throughout the entire period of the war, but are unwilling to help the government in any of the four ways mentioned," continued the banker. "It is about time the farmer should appreciate his position in the country and help do his part in a war as much for his benefit as for those who are putting up the money and doing the fighting for him."

This is a severe arraignment of the farmer and a sad commentary on his patriotism, and we cannot believe that it will be justified by the final totals of Liberty Bonds bought by the farmers of Lee County at least, for we believe that the farmers of Lee County will do their full share toward the big, popular loan before the campaign closes.

During the first Liberty Bond campaign the farmers were very busy in the important work of planting and cultivating their crops, and their money was tied up in this work, which means so much to the welfare of the nation. Now, however, the crops have been largely gathered and prices are high, so the farmers of this county will have nothing more to restrain them from joining in and doing their bit with the bonds, and we are confident that they will do so. Our farmers have red blood in their veins and they are intensely American. They are the backbone of the country and they will not go down in history as being lacking in patriotism.

The time is short. Saturday night of this week ends the Second Liberty Loan campaign. Get busy, Mr. Farmer, and show Chicago, New York and other big financial centers that the country districts are just as willing to do their share as the cities.

BUY YOUR LIBERTY BONDS EARLY.

The American people have one fault, if fault it may be called—they wait until the last minute before doing what they have intended all the time to do.

Government officials at Washington are appealing to the nation to rally to the second Liberty Loan. Subscriptions are not rolling into the Treasury Department as rapidly as is desired. That the issue will be a tremendous success, that it will be heavily oversubscribed, is confidently believed in all quarters where the question has been given serious consideration.

But that procrastination on the part of the public! During the last few days of the present campaign, which is scheduled to close October 27, there will undoubtedly be a great rush to get in before the books are closed, thereby literally swamping every one and every thing. That is just what the officials seek to avoid, but that the necessary funds will be available no one doubts for an instant.

HELP MAKE IT SUCCESSFUL.

The second Liberty Loan will be—must be—a success. A little thought on the part of any one will prove conclusively the necessity for such success.

The merchant will suffer irreparable loss should this loan fail; the investor will lose on stocks for it would mean a great slump in the market of all securities.

Farmers must be convinced that Liberty Bonds are the best security in the world and that the preservation of democracy and the defeat of autocracy means as much to them as to any other class of people. The thrifty must be impressed with the safety of the investment, the careless must be urged to reduce their spendings and put their money into this loan to the government.

These facts must be driven home to everybody—that they are not patriotic unless they buy Liberty Bonds to the limit of their resources.

BONDS WILL SELL AT PREMIUM.

Henry Clews, in his weekly financial letter, says of the Liberty Loan:

"The influence of the war upon finance and industry becomes more intense each day. At the moment it overshadows every other factor, and the country is completely absorbed in bending every energy to the preservation of democracy. In keeping with this spirit the financial community is strenuously pushing the Liberty Loan, which promises to be a complete success; the applications having already approached nearly \$2,000,000,000. In all probability the loan will be well over-subscribed. This is highly encouraging. As we have already stated, these bonds as an investment are the safest and best in the world. Within a few years, if not sooner, they will sell at a handsome premium, and it is an imperative duty for every citizen to assume his share of the financial responsibility in conducting the war by subscribing in proportion to his ability."

City In Brief

pine went to Oregon this morning.

All goods sold by Wolf Chemical Co. are guaranteed to give satisfaction. Sold by Prescott & Schildberg.

Theodore Fuller, who represents the "Prairie Farmer", left Sunday

Judge Farrand and W. J. McAlister for Jacksonville on business.

If you have any news for publication, social or otherwise, call the Evening Telegraph, No. 5.

Roy Glessner, of Eldena, was in Dixon Saturday.

Please look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. It will tell you the exact date to which you are paid. Subscriptions must be paid one year in advance.

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RUSS FLEET ESCAPED

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another German transport by a Russian submarine. Torpedoes were fired by the same submarine at a German dreadnaught, the results of which are not known.

Berlin, Oct. 22.—The Belgian port of Ostend, which is a submarine base of the Germans on the North sea, has been bombarded from the sea. It was announced by the German war office, houses in the town being damaged.

The text of the statement reads:

"Western theater: Ostend has been bombarded from the sea. Damage has been caused to houses in the town."

London, Oct. 22.—British naval planes dropped a large quantity of bombs on the Engel airfield and the docks at Bruges, in Belgium, causing a fire in the German establishments.

Reporting military operations on the British battle front in France and Belgium, the British war office announcement says:

"There was the usual artillery activity on both sides of the battle front. There was nothing interesting to report."

Paris, Oct. 22.—German forces at night attacked the French positions west of Mont Cornillet, in the Reims area; on both banks of the River Meuse, in the Verdun region, and in the sector of La Chapelette. The French war office statement says all the assaults were repulsed, the French capturing a number of Germans.

There were 482 delegates and visitors registered. Four towns helped to entertain the guests. Rock Island, Moline, East Moline and Watertown. There were four big banquets during the convention. Shurtleff College, University of Chicago, the Missionary women and the general banquet on the last evening. The Dixon delegates will conduct an "Echo" meeting on Wednesday night at the church, when a full report will be given.

END OF COAL STRIKE NEAR

Garfield Expects Men Will Be Back at Work This Week.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Fuel Administrator Garfield, before leaving Washington for Ohio to visit his sick mother, received encouraging advices from Illinois, Indiana and Ohio points where coal miners have been conducting unauthorized strikes.

The fuel administrator said he believed all the strikers would return to the mines early this week. Meanwhile consideration is being given to the readjustment of coal price scales, which may warrant increases in wages in some of the coal districts.

Fuel officials reiterated that the government would not be forced by unauthorized strikes into reaching a decision, and it is certain that no decision will be announced until strikers return to work.

ILLINOIS OFFICER IS DEAD

Lieut. C. L. Starkel of 342d Infantry Dies at Camp Grant.

Rockford, Ill., Oct. 22.—The Eighty-sixth division lost its first officer through the death of Second Lieut. Clarke L. Starkel of Belleville, Ill. Lieutenant Starkel was taken ill with pneumonia last Tuesday while at drill. His father, Dr. C. H. Starkel, surgeon of the Kansas City & Southern railroad, was sent for. The father was with him at the end. Lieutenant Starkel was a graduate of the officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan, being a member of Company 4, under command of Captain Madison. The dead officer was twenty-two years of age and a graduate of the University of Illinois.

Business Came First.

Some time ago two Chinese generals had planned a battle in the Chengtu plain, writes Owen Williams in the Christian Herald. It was within a few days of the rice harvest. The people petitioned the generals to call off their battle until the rice was harvested, and they did so. Then they went on with the fighting. But the days of such common sense are passing. Militarism is coming to demand more respect than that.

Narcopolis.

Ever wonder what the matter was, after eating, when that drowsy feeling overcame you? When you feel you'd give almost everything for a little sleep? Joe Kelsey of the city health division has discovered what that is. It is narcopolis. And narcopolis results from "motor deficiency" of the stomach—Toledo News Bee.

LIGHTWEIGHTS MET DEFEAT SATURDAY

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In the second half the Dixon boys came back with a fine display of Dixon fighting spirit, holding the Moose to a scoreless period and pushing the ball up to the Aurora lads' ten-yard line. In this period Allen's catches of forward passes were great. The third quarter was another Mooseheart period, two more touchdowns being their harvest.

Cortright was the Dixon star in the game, but all deserve great credit for the pluck with which they tackled their heavier opponents. The Dixon lineup was:

Left end, Roe; left tackle, Manning; left guard, C. Ives; center, Boynton; right end, Allen; right tackle, Downs; right guard, Fruin; quarterback, Pool; Hess; right half-back, Cortright; left half-back, Powell; full back, Drummond.

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We have arranged for a series of six interesting articles, "War Talks, by Uncle Dan," written by Mr. Howard H. Gross, president of the Universal Military Training League, of which this is the first. They tell in a graphic way why military training is of value, both to the nation and to the individual, and our readers will find them of unusual interest.

NEW DRAFT RULES ARRANGE MEN IN 5 CLASSES FOR DRAFT

MEN OF DRAFT AGE OF NATION ARE DIVIDED IN GROUPS.

SINGLE MEN GO FIRST IN RULE

Provision Is Made for Men in Every Status of Life in Orders.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The new classifications in which men awaiting draft will be divided, under the new regulations approved by the provost marshal general, have become public much before the time planned by that office. They follow:

Class One.

First—Single men without dependents.

Second—Married men who have habitually failed to support their families.

Third—Married men dependent on wife for support.

Fifth—Married men not usefully engaged.

Fourth—Men not included in any other class.

Class Two.

First—Married man or father of motherless children, usefully engaged, whose family has sufficient income apart from his daily labor to afford adequate support.

Second—Married man with no children and wife who can support herself.

Third—Skilled farm laborers.

Fourth—Skilled industrial laborers.

Class Three.

First—Man with foster children dependent upon his support.

Second—Man with dependent aged, invalid or infirm parents or grandparents.

Third—Man with dependent brothers or sisters incompetent to support themselves.

Fourth—County or municipal officers.

Fifth—Firemen and policemen.

Sixth—Necessary artificers or workmen in arsenals.

Seventh—Necessary custom house employees.

Eighth—Persons necessary in the transmission of the mails.

Ninth—Necessary employees in the service of the U. S.

Tenth—Highly specialized administration employees.

Eleventh—Technical industrial employees.

Twelfth—Assistant manager of industrial enterprise.

Thirteenth—Assistant manager of agricultural enterprise.

Class Four.

First—Married man with wife, children, or widow with children dependent on his daily labor for support and with no other adequate means of support.

Second—Mariners in sea service of merchants or citizens of the U. S.

Third—Heads of necessary industrial enterprises.

Fourth—Heads of agricultural enterprises.

Class Five.

First—Officers of states or the United States.

Second—Regularly or duly ordained ministers of the gospel.

Third—Students of Divinity.

Fourth—Persons in the military or naval service of the U. S.

Fifth—Aliens.

Sixth—Alien enemies.

Seventh—Persons morally unfit.

Eighth—Persons physically mentally unfit.

Ninth—Licensed pilots.

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Monday, Oct. 22.

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Receipts today:

Hogs 26,000. Open steady, top 16.75.

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Hogs 14,000.

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DIXON SOLDIERS BUYING BONDS

Mrs. H. W. Stevens of east of town has received a letter recently from her son, Howard Metzler, in which he stated that all the boys in all the army camps in the United States will eat turkey on Thanksgiving Day. That looks like a pretty big proposition, but if anyone can round up that many turkeys, it's surely Uncle Sam. Mr. Metzler makes the statement quoting the colonel of the regiment.

Battery C, which has but sixty-five men now, have purchased over \$5,000 worth of Liberty Bonds. Pretty good for old Company G? The boys pay for their bonds by deducting \$10 per month out of their pay for every \$100 bond purchased, and get their 4 per cent interest from the start. At first thought it looks a little hard that the soldier boys who sacrifice so much, should help to pay their own way, but 'tis a good way to insure saving a bit of their own pay for future use.

UNDERFURT OPERATION

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WHY BUY U. S. BONDS?

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will require millions and millions of money to supply the actual necessities of life. We should be glad to cut out our comforts, that they may not suffer. Look at the present situation, the great Russian army crushed and demoralized. The Germans are taking them prisoners by the thousands, capturing hundreds of their cannon and as well their winter provisions and supplies. They appear helpless, and about ready to cry enough, and make a separate peace, and then what? The great German army of the east will be thrown to the western line, where the French and British now have all they can hold back; who can tell the outcome, when this additional force is hurled against them? Is it possible the allies can stand the strain?

Our boys, but now partially prepared, will be hurried to the firing line, and pitted against this well trained German host, who seem to value life but lightly. There can be but one result, hundreds of our boys will not live to return, thousands will be disfigured by loss of arms and legs when they begin to return to us in this condition, then will we realize the seriousness of the situation and we all know who have furnished no aid will have cause for regret, as it may then be too late. Our government calls upon us for three billion dollars to keep the enemy from our shores, for their long distance cannons; should the Germans be successful, should they win this war, besides killing and wounding thousands of our best young men, they will demand indemnity ten times three billion dollars, and we will be obliged to pay it which will make our living expenses and taxes for many years more than double what we now pay. They have demanded and collected many millions from the large cities they have captured.

There are just two ways open to do our part. One is to shoulder a musket and be off to the firing line, the other way is to invest in as many Liberty bonds as you possibly can, and induce your neighbors and friends to do the same.

Do not say you cannot afford to, as you truly cannot afford not to. Call your family together, talk this more than important subject over; you will see where you are spending the money for comforts that you can cut out for a time; with this money you can buy a bond on time payments and have the satisfaction of being a bond holder of the United States government. You are loaning the money to yourself.

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RUSSIA'S PEACE PROGRAM GIVEN

Terms Proposed by Workmen's Council Call for Restoration of Lands.

WANT PANAMA CANAL FREE

No Indemnity or Annexation—Unhampered Sea—Compensation for Belgium—Kerensky Says Slavs Will Never Bow to Force.

Petrograd, Oct. 22.—The Russian peace program as drawn up by the central executive committee of the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates in the form of instructions to M. Skoboleff, minister of labor, as delegate to the Paris conference, consists of fifteen articles covering the whole ground from Panama to Persia.

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No More Secret Treaties.

"Fourteenth—Commercial treaties not to be based on the peace treaty; each country may act independently with respect to its commercial policy, but all countries to engage to renounce an economic blockade after the war.

"Fifteenth—Gradual disarmament by land and sea and the establishment of a nonmilitary system."

Protests Capital's Removal.

The troops comprising the classes of 1893 and 1897—forty-one and forty-two years of age—have been mobilized.

The central committee of the workmen's and soldiers' deputies is protesting against the removal of the government to Moscow. The committee declares that it will not follow the government, but "will remain in Petrograd with the revolutionary proletariat until the last moment."

Will Not Bow to Force.

Premier Kerensky, on opening the Russian preliminary parliament in the Marinsky palace, made a ringing speech in which he said:

"Russia wants peace by right, but we never will bow our heads to force."

This declaration was warmly applauded by the members of all political factions. The premier, who had just recovered from his recent illness and was slightly pale, stood on a raised dais in the great audience hall.

Optimistic Thought.

Whatever you do trust in Providence and also in yourself.

Snakes in Australia.

Australia is said to have about 100 species of snakes, three-fourths of them venomous. The big pythons and rock-snakes are harmless, but as one travels from the various tropics southward the dangerous varieties increase in number, and in Tasmania all are venomous, though only five are known.

Indict Minnesota Editor.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 22.—D. R. Johnson, editor of the People's Magazine, formerly the Royal People's Magazine, published here, was indicted by the county grand jury on a charge of "interfering with and discouraging enlistments." He was arrested and after pleading not guilty was released on \$2,500 bail.

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2 GIRLS KILLED BY TRAIN

Sisters Crushed to Death at Collinsville, Ill.

Collinsville, Ill., Oct. 22.—Mary Ronchetto, fourteen years old, and her sister, Jolene, ten, were killed, and a third sister, Edith, eight, and Alfonso Sandino, twenty-two, were seriously injured when they were struck by a fast Vandalia train. They were standing on the track waiting for a freight train to pass on another track and did not see the approaching passenger train.

It's Saturday. It isn't just because Mr. Welty paid another year ahead on his Evening Telegraph that we say nice things about him, but because he really deserves it. Mr. Welty, who is an ex-Supervisor and an ex-County Treasurer of Lee County, and has more friends than almost anybody we know, is very busy just now organizing his township to subscribe its full quota of Liberty Loan Bonds.

PASTIME ROLLER RINK

The Pastime Roller Rink in Gaff's hall, opposite



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CHAPTER VIII.

Korak and Meriem.

For many months the strange life of the three went on unmarked by any unusual occurrences—at least without any occurrences that seemed unusual to the youth or the ape—out to the little girl it was a constant nightmare of horrors for days and weeks until she, too, became accustomed to gazing into the eyeless sockets of death and to the feel of the icy wind of his shroudlike mantle.

Slowly she learned the rudiments of the only common medium of thought exchange which her companions possessed—the language of the great apes. More quickly she perfected herself in jungle craft, so that the time soon came when she was an important factor in the chase, watching while the others slept or helping them to trace the spoor of whatever prey they might be stalking.

Akut accepted her on a footing which bordered upon equality when it was necessary for them to come into close contact, but for the most part he avoided her. The youth always was kind to her, and if there were many occasions upon which he felt the burden of her presence he hid it from her.

Finding that the night damp and chill caused her discomfort and even suffering, Korak constructed a tight little shelter high among the swaying branches of a giant tree. Here little Meriem slept in comparative warmth and safety, while the Killer and the ape perched upon nearby branches, the former always before the entrance to the lofty domicile, where he best could guard its inmate from the dangers of arboreal enemies.

After the construction of the shelter the activities of the three became localized. They ranged less widely, for there was always the necessity of returning to their own tree at nightfall.

A river flowed near by. Game and fruit were plentiful, as were fish also. Existence had settled down to the daily humdrum of the wild—the search for food and the sleeping upon full bellies. They looked no further ahead than today.

If the youth thought of his past and of those who longed for him in the distant metropolis it was in a detached and impersonal sort of way, as though that other life belonged to another creature than himself. He had given up hope of returning to civilization, for since his various rebuffs at the hands of those to whom he had looked for friendship, he had wandered so far inland as to realize that he was completely lost in the mazes of the jungle.

Then, too, since the coming of Meriem he had found in her that one thing which he had most missed before in his savage jungle life—human companionship.

The little girl idolized him, as she might have idolized an indulgent brother had she had one. Love was a thing unknown to either. But as the youth neared manhood it was inevitable that it should come to him, as it did to every other savage jungle male.

As Meriem became proficient in their common language the pleasures of their companionship grew correspondingly, for now they could converse, and, aided by the mental powers of their human heritage, they amplified the restricted vocabulary of the apes until talking was transformed from a task into an enjoyable pastime.

When Korak hunted Meriem usually accompanied him, for she had learned the fine art of silence when silence was desired. She could pass through the branches of the great trees now with all the agility and stealth of the Killer himself. Great heights no longer appalled her. She swung from limb to limb, or she raced through the mighty branches, sure footed, lithe and fearless. Korak was very proud of her, and even old Akut grunted in approval where before he had growled in contempt.

A distant village of blacks had turned her with a mantle of fur and feathers, with copper ornaments and weapons, for Korak would not permit her to go unarmed or unversed in the use of the weapons he stole for her. A light spear and a long knife were her weapons of offense or defense.

Her body, rounding into the fullness of an early maturity, followed the lines of a Greek goddess, but there the similarity ceased, for her face was beautiful.

As she grew more accustomed to the jungle and the ways of its wild denizens, fear left her. As time wore on she even hunted alone when Korak and Akut were prowling at a great distance, as they were sometimes forced to do when game was scarce in their immediate vicinity. Upon these occasions she usually confined her endeavors to the smaller animals, though sometimes she brought down a deer and once even Horta, the boar, a great tusker that might have made even shea think twice before attacking him.

After Korak had left the village of the blacks following his last thieving expedition the screams of women and

fruits which helped to slake his thirst and ailay his fever, and little by little his powerful constitution overcame the effects of the spear thrusts. The wounds healed and his strength returned.

All during his rational moments as he had lain upon the soft furs which lined Meriem's nest he had suffered more acutely from fears for Meriem than from the pain of his own wounds. For her he must live; for her he must regain his strength that he might set out in search of her. But it was many a day before strength returned to him.

Meriem, bound and under heavy guard in Kovudoo's own hut, had no doubt but that Korak would come back and still less that he would easily free her.

So now as she lay waiting for him she dreamed of him and of all that he meant to her. She compared him with the sheik, her father, and at the thought of the stern, grizzled old Arab she shuddered. Even the savage blacks had been less harsh to her than he.

Not understanding their tongue, she could not guess what purpose they had in keeping her a prisoner. She knew that man ate man, and she had expected to be eaten, but she had been with them for some time now, and no harm had befallen her.

She did not know that a runner had been dispatched to the distant village of the sheik to barter with him for a ransom. She did not know, nor did Kovudoo, that the runner had never reached his destination; that he had fallen in with the safari of Jenssen and Maliblin and with the talkativeness of a native had unfolded his whole mission to the black servants of the two Swedes. These had not been long in retelling the matter to their masters, and the result was that when the runner left their camp to continue his journey he had scarce passed from sight before there came the report of a rifle, and he rolled lifeless into the underbrush with a bullet hole in his back.

A few moments later Maliblin strolled back into the encampment, where he went to some pains to let it be known that he had had a shot at a fine buck and missed. The Swedes knew that their men hated them and that an overt act against Kovudoo would quickly be carried to the chief at the first opportunity. Nor were they sufficiently strong in either guns or loyal followers to risk antagonizing the old chief.

The white youth and the white maid stood alone in the jungle when they were discovered by Kovudoo's band. Akut had been made king of his ape tribe, and Korak, to Akut's sorrow, had left him to dwell with Meriem in the jungle. One of Kovudoo's men leaned close to the ear of his chief.

"Look," he whispered and pointed to something that dangled at the girl's side. "When my brother and I were slaves in the village of the sheik my brother made that thing for the sheik's little daughter. She played with it always and called it after my brother, whose name is Geeka. Just before we escaped some one came and struck down the sheik, killing his daughter away. If this is she the sheik will pay you well for her return."

Korak's arm had gone around the shoulders of Meriem. And then from behind him broke a hideous bellow of savage war cries, and a score of shrieking blacks were upon them.

Korak turned to give battle. Meriem with her own light spear stood by his side. An avalanche of barbed missiles flew about them. One pierced Korak's shoulder, another his leg, and he went down.

Meriem was unscathed for the blacks had intentionally spared her. Now they rushed forward to finish Korak and make good the girl's capture. But as they came there came also from another point in the jungle the great Akut and at his heels the huge bulls of his new kingdom.

Startling and roaring, they rushed upon the black warriors, when they saw the mischief they had already wrought. Kovudoo, realizing the danger of going to close quarters with these mighty ape men, seized Meriem and called upon his warriors to retreat.

For a time the apes followed them, and several of the blacks were badly mauled and one killed before they succeeded in escaping. Nor would they have got off thus easily had Akut not been more concerned with the condition of the wounded Korak than with the rest.

CHAPTER IX.

When Thieves Fall Out.

So the two Swedes approached the village of Kovudoo with friendly words upon their tongues and deep craft in their hearts.

Their plans were well made. There was no mention of the white prisoner. They chose to pretend that they were not aware that Kovudoo had a white prisoner. They exchanged gifts with the old chief, haggling with his plentypotentiaries over the value of what they were to receive for what they gave, as is customary and proper when one has no ulterior motives. Unwarranted generosity would have aroused suspicion.

During the palaver which followed they retailed the gossip of the villages through which they had passed, receiving in exchange such news as Kovudoo possessed. The palaver was long and tiresome, as these native ceremonies always are to Europeans. Kovudoo made no mention of his prisoner, and from his generous efforts of guides and presents seemed anxious to assure himself of the speedy departure of his guests.

It was Maliblin who, quite casually, near the close of their talk, mentioned the fact that the sheik was dead. Kovudoo evinced interest and surprise.

"You did not know it?" asked Maliblin. "That is strange. It was during the last moon. He fell from his horse when the beast stepped in a hole. The horse fell upon him. When his men came up the sheik was quite dead."

Kovudoo scratched his head. He was much disappoined. No sheik meant no ransom for the white girl.

"I know where there is a white girl," he said unexpectedly, "If you wish to buy her she may be had cheap."

Maliblin shrugged. "We have trouble enough. Kovudoo," he said, "without burdening ourselves with an old, broken down sheik, and as for paying for one!"—Maliblin snapped his fingers.

"She is young," said Kovudoo, "and good-looking."

The Swedes laughed. "There are no good-looking white women in the jungle, Kovudoo," said Jenssen.

"What delayed him, though?

"When morning came again and the

old friends."

Kovudoo sprang to his feet. "Come," he said, "I will show you."

Maliblin and Jenssen rose to follow him, and as they did so their eyes met, and Maliblin slowly dropped one of his lids in a sly wink. Together they followed Kovudoo toward his hut. In the dim interior they discerned the figure of a woman lying bound up on a sleeping mat.

Maliblin took a single glance and turned away. "She must be a thousand years old, Kovudoo," he said as he left the hut.

"She is young!" cried the savage. "It is dark in here. You cannot see. Wait. I will have her brought out in the sunlight." And he commanded the two warriors who watched the girl to cut the bonds from her ankles and lead her forth for inspection.

Maliblin and Jenssen evinced no eagerness, though both were fairly bursting with it, not to see the girl, but to obtain possession of her. They cared not if she had the face of a marmoset or the figure of a hellish Kovudoo himself. All that they wished to know was that she was the girl who had been stolen from the sheik several years before. They thought that they would recognize her for such if she were indeed the same. But even so, the testimony of the runner Kovudoo had sent to the sheik was such as to assure them that the girl was the one they had once before attempted to abduct.

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Something had happened to Korak. She knew it. He would never come now, and these men would take her away. Presently they would kill her. She would never see her Korak again.

On this day the Swedes rested, for they had marched rapidly and their men were tired. Maliblin and Jenssen had gone from camp to hunt, taking different directions.

They had been gone about an hour when the door of Meriem's tent was lifted and Maliblin entered. His look portended no good to the girl.

Out in the jungle Jenssen had brought down two bucks. His hunting had not carried him far afielid, nor was he prone to permit it to do so. He was suspicious of Maliblin. The very fact that his companion had refused to accompany him and elected instead to hunt alone in another direction would not, under ordinary circumstances, have seemed fraught with sinister suggestion, but Jenssen knew Maliblin well and, so having secured meat, he turned immediately back toward camp with his boys brought in his kill.

"Well?" he said to the old chief. "Is she not both young and good looking?" asked Kovudoo.

"She is not old," replied Maliblin.

"But, even so, she will be a burden. We did not come from the north after wives. There are more than enough there for us."

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"Is She Not Both Young and Good Looking?" asked Kovudoo.

them—they were to her as much enemies as the black men. She hated and feared them all. Maliblin spoke to her in Arabic.

"We are friends," he said, "Would you like to have us take you away from here?"

Slowly and dully, as though from a great distance, recollection of the once familiar tongue returned to her.

"I should like to go free," she said, "and go back to Korak."

"You would like to go with us?" persisted Maliblin.

"No," said Meriem.

Maliblin turned to Kovudoo. "She does not wish to go with us," he said.

"You are men," returned the black.

"Can you not take her by force?"

"It would only add to our troubles," replied the Swede. "No, Kovudoo, we do not wish her, though, if you wish to be rid of her, we will take her away because of our friendship for you."

Now, Kovudoo knew that he had made a safe. They wanted her. So he commenced to bargain, and in the end the person of Meriem passed from the possession of the black chieftain into that of the two Swedes in consideration of six yards of Amerikan, three empty brass cartridge shells and a shiny new jackknife from New Jersey.

And all but Meriem were more than pleased with the bargain.

Kovudoo stipulated but a single condition, and that was that the Europeans were to leave his village and take the girl with them as early the next morning as they could get started. After the sale he did not hesitate to explain his reasons for this demand. He told them of strenuous attempts of the girl's savage mate to rescue her, and suggested that the sooner they got her out of the country the more likely they were to retain possession of her.

Meriem was again bound and placed under guard, but this time in the tent of the Swedes. Maliblin talked to her, trying to persuade her to accompany them willingly. He told her that they would return her to her own village, but when he discovered that she would rather die than go back to the old sheik he assured her that they would not take her there—not, as a matter of fact, had they any intention of so doing.

At all that night Meriem lay listening for a signal from Kovudoo. All about the jungle life moved through the darkness. To her sensitive ears came sounds that the others in the camp could not hear, sounds that she interpreted as we might interpret the speech of a friend, but not once came a single note that betokened the presence of Kovudoo. But she knew that he would come. Nothing short of death itself could prevent her Kovudoo from returning to her.

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night had brought no spring Korak Meriem's faith and loyalty were still unshaken, though misgivings began to assail her as to the safety of her friend. It seemed unbelievable that serious mishap could have overtaken her wonderful Korak, who daily passed unscathed through all the terrors of the jungle. Next morning came, the morning meal was eaten, the camp broken, and the disreputable safari of the Swedes was again on the move northward with still no sign of the rescue by Kovudoo the girl momentarily expected.

All that day they marched and the next and the next. Nor did Kovak even so much as show himself to the patient little white moving, silent and steady, beside her hard captors.

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them. She shook her head and spoke in Arabic. Instantly the man changed his question to that language.

"These men are taking me away from Kovak," panted the girl. "This one would have harmed me. The other, who he has just killed, tried to stop him. They were both very bad men, but this one is the worse. If my Kovak were here he would kill him. I suppose you are like them, so you will not kill him."

The stranger smiled. "He deserves killing," he said. "There is no doubt of that. Once I should have killed him, but now not, I will see, though that he does not bother you any more."

He was holding Maliblin in a grasp the giant Swede could not break, though he struggled to do so, and he was holding him as easily as Maliblin might have held a little child, yet Maliblin was a huge man, mightily swelled. The Swede began to rage and curse. He struck at his captor, only to be twisted about and held at arm's length. Then he shouted to his boys to come and kill the stranger.

In response a dozen strange blacks entered the

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FOR SALE. Thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock Rooster. Phone Farmers' Board 38600, Route 7. Mrs. S. W. Henderson. 249 12

FOR SALE. 150 pure bred, single comb White Leghorn pullets, hens and cockerels, all first class, healthy stock and in good condition. Phone Y-811. L. O. Andres, 727 Institute Blvd. 249 12*

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FOR SALE. Jewel Range, practically new. Phone K-997. T. L. Eastman, 517 W. 3rd St. 248 12*

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LOST. Kit of tools belonging to Ford car. Please return to Netz Garage, Dixon, Ill. 249 12

LOST. Two \$5 bills between Geisenheimer's and Dixon National Bank this afternoon. Finder please return to this office and receive reward. 249 12*

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PUBLIC SALE!

As I have decided to quit farming I will hold a Closing Out Sale at my place of residence on the Chicago Road, 5 miles east of Dixon, 3 miles northeast of Eldena and 3 miles south of Nachusa, on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1917. The following described property.

5 HEAD HORSES.

All good work horses, consisting of black mare 9 years old, weight 1,500; one brown horse 10 years old, weight 1,400; one bay horse 12 years old, weight 1,400; one gray horse 12 years old, weight 1,500; one gray mare 15 years old, weight 1,200.

3 HEAD CATTLE

Consisting of 13 milk cows, some springing by day of sale, all good milkers; I registered Shorthorn bull, 5 two-year-old heifers, springers; 5 two-year-old steers, 4 yearling steers, 6 yearling heifers, 9 spring calves.

FARM MACHINERY OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS

18 acres of corn in field; some corn in shock; some hay in barn; 6 or 7 tons of hay in stack.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. Free lunch at noon.

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FOR RENT. One or two furnished rooms in private family to parties employed; gentlemen preferred; close to town and conveniences strictly modern. Phone X-103. 249 12*

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FOR RENT. Three rooms for light housekeeping. Also Round Oak heater and laundry stove, in good condition, for sale. Phone Y-543. 249 12*

FOR RENT. Eight-room house on Peoria avenue, near high school. Call Telephone Y-556. 249 12

FOR RENT. Two furnished sleeping rooms, modern, within two blocks of court house, 315 E. Second St. Telephone X-615. 247 14

FOR RENT. Farm of 80 acres in Marion Twp. Possession March 1st. Phone R-1157. Mrs. Ann McGrail, 507 College Ave. 247 14

FOR RENT. The rooms over the Express Office. \$10 per month. Geo. J. Downing, Grocer. Phone 340. 245f

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FOR RENT. My 125 acre farm, 1½ miles east of Dixon on Franklin Grove road; 9 room brick house, 4 barns, silo. Seed for 10 acres of alfalfa; 3 or 5 years. See J. C. Ayres or write S. R. Harris, 5 N. LaSalle St., Chicago. 237 24

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ANTILLES MEN LAND

Survivors of Torpedoed U. S. Transport Reach France.

Submarine Attacked Ship at 6:45 O'clock in the Morning While Many Were in Berths.

A French Port, Oct. 22.—Survivors of the United States transport Antilles, which was sunk by a German submarine last week while being convoyed on her homeward trip by American warships, were landed here by auxiliary vessels and are being cared for by the American consulate. Some of the men have been lodged in local hotels and a few have left for Paris.

The torpedo struck the ship at 6:45 o'clock Wednesday morning. Many of those on board were killed in their berths and others while dressing. The explosion killed the engineers, officers and mechanics and those of the crew who were in the bunks below.

All the survivors praise the captain of the Antilles and the members of the gun crew, who stuck to their posts while the officers searched with field-glasses for the submarine until the waves closed over the ship.

When the Antilles sank 40 or 50 men were at the stern. Most of them leaped 50 feet or more into the sea as the stern rose to a perpendicular position and some were drawn down by the suction of the sinking vessel.

The submarine was not sighted either before or after the explosion. The sea was running high at the time, making it difficult to save the crew and passengers. Some survivors, clinging to debris, were in the water an hour before they were sighted by lifeboats.

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Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through the crisis.

which brought me out of it all right, so I am now well and do all my housework, besides working in my garden. Several of my neighbors have got well by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." —Mrs. VIOLA FINICAL, Wagoner, Okla.

Editor's Note—Because the quotations furnished by the various markets of Dixon do not coincide the Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those prices which seem most advantageous to seller or purchaser.

Corn 1.65
Oats, white—55. Mixed 1.53
Wheat 1.80

LIVE POULTRY

Lights hens 1.15
Cocks 1.80
Springers 1.16
Ducks, White Pekin 1.12
India Runner Ducks 1.18
Muscovy Ducks 1.18
Geese 1.17
Turkeys 1.13
Heavy Hens 1.16

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

Pay Sell

Creamery butter 52

Dairy butter 43 50

Lard 28 32

Eggs 39 45

Potatoes 1.25 1.60

Flour 3.15 to 3.50

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

24 6:41 a.m. 9:15 a.m.

6 3:28 a.m. 6:45 a.m.

28 7:23 a.m. dly ex Sun 10:40 a.m.

18 8:05 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

19 11:21 a.m. 2:00 p.m.

20 11:01 a.m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p.m.

4 4:11 p.m. dly ex Sun 7:30 p.m.

100 4:15 p.m. Sun only 7:35 p.m.

12 6:10 p.m. 8:45 p.m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

Shares in the
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No. 121,
Now For Sale
Also
Some Old Shares

A chance to get \$100, \$200, \$300,
\$400 or \$500 at work where a good
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Stock in the Comet Automobile Company, Decatur, Ill., manufacturers of touring cars and trucks.

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I have Canned Peaches on sale that are much cheaper than you could put them up. They are in heavy syrup and are much better fruit than the Fresh Peaches you will buy to can.

Our first car of CANNED GOODS are in the store. I have any kind of Canned Fruits you want and guarantee them to be the best in Dixon. Every can of goods is guaranteed for one year. Come to the store and yet our prices before you buy. Don't fool yourself any longer by putting up fruit, when I can sell you better fruit in cans and save you money on it.

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COUNTRYMAN GIVES REASONS FOR LOAN

(Continued from page 1)

rocked the boat, fully settled?

To raise, arm and equip millions of men and transport them and their supplies thousands of miles to the European battlefields requires almost fabulous sums of money. The government can only get the needed money by taking it from the people in the form of taxation or by borrowing it from them at a fair rate of interest. The latter is now being done by offering for sale its bonds in the \$100 million dollars. I am sure that the 18th inst., the German government closed its seventh war loan and its people, exclusive of the soldiers, had subscribed for bonds in the amount of over three billion, one hundred million dollars. I am sure that the people of America will do as well and that Dixon and vicinity will do their full part. I have observed our people for a good many years especially so last summer during the Red Cross campaign, when a gift and not a loan was asked of them) and I know they are both liberal and patriotic.

Of course some persons will buy more and some less bonds, but each will have discharged his duty as well as the other if he has bought in proportion to his ability to do so. An investment of this kind is new to many people and it takes them a little time to get used to it. We should be patient with such. I am pleased to say that I have found no person who clearly is able and has refused positively to buy bonds.

It is a privilege to have an opportunity to aid our country by the purchase of these bonds and it is also our patriotic duty to do so. No one should overlook the fact that if America wins, we all win; if America loses, we all lose.

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Every household should use our Odorless Disinfectant and so prevent Germs and Contagion. The prevention is always cheaper than the cure.

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NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any other than myself. Osmer Wilkins, t2*

Difficult Language.

An intelligent Frenchman asks: "When I discovered that if I was tied I was fast, if I spent too freely I was fast, and that not to eat was fast, I was discouraged. But when I came across the sentence, 'the first one won one guinea prize,' I was tempted to give up trying to learn English."

That Discouraged Him.

An exchange asks: "What has become of the old-fashioned doctor who used to write, 'Take a heaping dose of this powder three times a day?' We fancy, brother, he was knocked out by the old Irishman who, not having a dime handy, loaded up a nickel twice and nearly croaked—Boston Transcript.

Aristocratic Neighborhood.

Real Estate Agent—There are restrictions on the property. You cannot keep hens nor a dog that traces his ancestry back for less than three generations.

BIG AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Household Goods

About 4 dray loads in all—4 heating stoves, beds, tables, all kinds of chairs, dishes, sewing machine, trunks, dressers, comodes, couches, pillows, porch chairs and lots of other goods.

Remember the Date—Saturday,

Oct. 20th, at 1 P. M. at

CROMWELL'S Store - House

714 Chicago St.

Odd Names in New York.

For odd names New York takes the prize. Almost every calling is represented among the names of New Yorkers, besides every title, physical, mental or moral quality and every beast and bird familiar to man. Here are some New York names: Outlaw, Hogg, Gosh, Dorn, Jolly, Nutty, Looney, Kidder, Tout, Hurt, Fake, Grunt, Darnall, Fun, Laffers, Krantz, Guyer, Bunk, Tough, Pain, Crook, Gee, Damn, Wit, Mutt, Batty, Stringer, Flight, Brawl.

Opposites.

We have two classes of unfortunates in this old vale of tears and laughter, those who can't get their minds on their work and those who can't get theirs off it.—Ohio State Journal.

STIFF JOINTS

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LIMBER UP QUICKLY UNDER
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APPLICATION OF HAM-
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Ailments of this nature can be effectively treated with Hamlin's Wizard Oil. In cases of rheumatism and lame back, it penetrates quickly, drives out the soreness, and limbers up stiff, aching joints and muscles. Wizard Oil is a good dependable preparation to keep in the medicine chest for first aid when the doctor may be far away. It is an absolutely reliable, antiseptic application for cuts, burns, bites and stings. Sprains and bruises heal readily under its soothing, penetrating qualities.

Get a bottle from your druggist for 25c and use the medicine. If not entirely satisfied take the bottle back to him and he will return your money.

If you are troubled with constipation or sick headache try Hamlin's Wizard Oil Whips. Just pleasant little pink pills at druggists for 25c. Guaranteed.

Making a House a Home.

In planning a home it is essential to building satisfaction that the prospective house owner decides whether he wants to dwell in his own or some other person's home; that he decide just the sort of home he wishes to erect and follow those plans, also that he build his house on honest lines that conform to the principles of good architecture.

Big Market for Peanuts.

Marseilles, France, is the great central market for peanuts, more than 120,000 metric tons of peanuts in the shell and 240,000 tons of shelled nuts being crushed there in a single year.

OPENING OF THE PASTIME ROLLER RINK GAFFNEY'S HALL, Opposite Post Office TUESDAY, OCT. 23, 1917

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New Figs per pkg... 15c
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½ lb. can Blue Sea

Tuna Fish..... 25c
1 lb. Can Blue Sea

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Saturday Night only, for Cash, between 6 and 8, will sell

4 Tall Cans Peerless Milk, 50c

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